



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
LAURENCE A. LAVENDEL, et al.) : Examiner: Sy D. Luu
Application No.: 08/944,435) : Group Art Unit: 2174
Filed: October 6, 1997)
For: USER INTERFACE FOR)
IMAGE ACQUISITION) : November 14, 2005
DEVICES)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for taking further action in the above-identified application for an additional month, from October 14, 2005 to November 14, 2005.

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on

November 14, 2005
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Signature

November 14, 2005
Date of Signature

Submitted herewith is a check for \$330.00 (the difference between the instant \$450.00 fee for a two-month extension and the previously-paid \$120.00 fee for a one-month extension) to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,



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